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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

PETITION TO DELETE INVENTORS UNDER 37 CFR § 1.48 (b) FOR APPLICATION AS AMENDED

A Petition to Add Inventors under 37 CFR § 1.48 (a) is being filed jointly with the instant petition. The five inventors currently named in the Petition under § 1.48 (a) constitute the correct inventive entity for the instant application as originally filed. Because of amendments to the claims, "fewer than all of the currently named inventors are [now] the actual inventors of the invention being claimed" in the instant application. Thus, applicants and assignee respectfully petition to delete Robert L. Packer, and Robert A. Luxenberg, who contributed to features not

currently claimed in the instant application. The correct inventive entity for the allowed claims in the instant application is:

Eduardo J. Moura, Jan M. Gronski, and Frederick Enns.

Applicants request that Deposit Account No. 06-0115, of Farkas & Manelli, PLLC, be charged \$130.00, to cover the petition fee required by 37 CFR §§ 1.48(b)(2) and 1.17 (i).

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